

Proportion of the City's Population

SENATOR IN BATTLE WITH THIEVES

McNeil of Bridgeport Found Them in Act of Transferring His Coal to a Sloop

LIVELY STRUGGLE ON A COAL BARGE

Member of Crew Knocked Senator Down and Started to Throw Him Into the Harbor—Owner of Sloop and Captain and Mate of Barge Placed Under Arrest—Sloop Owner Claimed to Hate Bought the Coal

Bridgeport, Conn., Nov. 16.—There was a lively fight in the harbor here tonight between police, Senator Archibald McNeill, Jr., and coal thieves, in which Senator McNeill was knocked down and came near being thrown overboard.

Stealing Coal from Barges.

Aged Captain Puts Up Fight.

The officers then went to the captain's cabin and after a stiff fight overpowered Capt. John Long, 71 years old, of New York.

Started to Throw Senator Overboard.

While the officers were steering the

and Mr. McNeil reported the matter to the police, and accompanied by officers, went down the harbor in a power boat.

<p>REBEL SYMPATHIZERS IN NEW CHINESE CABINET.</p> <p>One of Them Signed Petition for Abolition of Death Penalty.</p>	<p>REAR ADMIRAL TAYLOR ENDS LIFE WITH PISTOL.</p> <p>Spent Last Days in Hospital.</p>
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imperial edict today, but it is questionable whether it will stand. One of the members expressed amazement at his appointment. It is believed that few of the new members have been

ice, is the great Chinese reformer who was exiled by the late empress dowager at Yuan Shi Kai's suggestion. Chang Chien, appointed president of the board of agriculture and commerce, is a

believed to have prompted him to take his life.

WICKERSHAM WON'T APPEAL

Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—Two cases of leprosy were discovered in this city today. The first case, that of Mrs.

The other case, that of Mrs. Becky Foerder, 36, was reported by the physicians of the Orthopaedic hospital. She came to this country in 1906 and in

isolation ward of the Philadelphia hospital and a quarantine was established at their homes.

NO EVIDENCE TO CONVICT

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Why Charles A. White, who confessed to having taken a bribe for his vote for William Lorimer as United States senator, was not

evidence against White was that contained in his own confession, and under the law he could not be prosecuted on such evidence.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 16.—Mrs. Lacie Matheson, charged with the murder of her husband at Abilene Oct. 5, was acquitted here after a jury had deliberated nearly 16 minutes.

A letter was exhibited which was written by the negroess in whose house Mrs. Matheson shot her husband. This

SEEDLESS LEMON DISCOVERED.
Produced in California from Bud

For many years, the bud wood from which the trees now bearing the seedless lemons have been grown came from a sample labeled "Citron of Commerce."

growers believe that the character of the fruit was changed through budding.

At Plymouth: Nov. 15, Nieuw Amsterdam, from New York.
At Naples: Nov. 19, Acona, from New York.

